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INVESTMENT IN INFRASTRUCTURE SECTOR
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) Whether the expert group on commercialization has emphasized the need for huge investment in the infrastructural sector;

(b) if so, the quantum of foreign and domestic investment made in the country during the last three years till date; and (

(c) the investment made during the last two years, State-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI BALASAHEB VIKHE PATIL)

(a) The Expert Group on commercialization of Infrastructure Projectshas estimated that the total infrastructure investment requirements would be about Rs.4,300 billion between 1996-97 to 2000-01 and about Rs.7,500 billion during 2001-02 to 2005-06.

(b) Details of domestic and foreign investment are given below:

Year	Domestic Investment (Rs. Crore)	Foreign Investment (US $ Million)
1998-99	243697	2401
1999-00	268374	5181
2000-01	274917	5099

(c) Details of State-wise investment intentions are provided in Statement (as appended).